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Tersely Told Town Tales

T Conklin's have moved to West Plains.

John Slate of Vera Cruz was here this week.

E O. Dickman was in St. Louis during the week.

H. E. Newton was here from Holden during the week.

Dr. Bessie A. Mitchell spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Springfield.

A. C. Legere returned home Wednesday from Tulsa Oklahoma where he has been for a month.

J. R. Bogart and wife of Kansas have returned to Mansfield and will make their home here.

A large crowd enjoyed the dinner served by the Christian Ladies Aid Society Thanksgiving day.

R. V. J. W. Paterson delivered a Thanksgiving sermon at the M. E. Church Thanksgiving morning.

Mrs. Phoebe Kiser has sold her residence property to J. J. Raby's, who will occupy the same. Mrs. Kiser moving to Haskell Oklahoma.

Jesse Van Ness and Miss Ora Moles were married Thanksgiving day. Mr. Van Ness is one of the proprietors of the O. H. Garage.

"Ye Old New England Choir" was presented in the gymnasium last week as one of the numbers on the lyceum course. The program was one of the best ever given here.

John W. Thomas has gone to Tulsa Kansas.

Amos Roy and Frank Broyles have returned from Kansas.

"No hunting" notices for sale at this office.

Several from Mansfield attended the funeral of Jess M. Carter at Hartsville Monday.

Miss Bessie Meador visited here during the Thanksgiving holidays. She was one of the teachers in the Mansfield schools last year.

George B. Freeman and Drue Turner were in Howell county the first of the week where Mr. Freeman bought a car of fine Holstein cows and heifers, which he will put on his farm here.

We have a full and complete line of harness and harness repairs. See us and get our prices—quality is first class and the price is right. Reynolds and Campbell.

Edgar Brazeal was quite badly injured Tuesday evening when a Ford car in which he and four other boys were going to Seymour to attend a basketball game. The car was overturned near Mrs. Peacock's farm. The car was also badly damaged.

The express office of Willow Springs was looted Sunday morning between 9:00 and 9:30 o'clock by thieves and about \$200 was stolen. The theft was committed between the time the night man went off duty and the day man went on. No clue of the guilty parties has been found.

Notice To Tax Payers

We have the official tax list for Pleasant Valley twp in our office. You may call and pay your taxes at any time. Pay before January 1st, and avoid paying a penalty.

Stephens & Roy

Mr. and Mrs. John Carter of Springfield are here.

Miss Beulah Stephens of Mtn. Grove spent Thanksgiving in Mansfield.

R. J. Freeman, Loan and Insurance office, over J. C. Shipbaugh's store.

Miss Jewel Dean is visiting at the J. A. Dennis home in Mtn. Grove this week.

Tom Brazal of Kansas City, returned home last week after a short visit in Mansfield with the Jason Hight family.

H. E. Brazeal of Hartsville was in Mansfield the latter part of last week. He made the Mirror office a very pleasant call while in the city.

For biliousness and that bad taste in the mouth take a Divan's Liver Pill at night—it will do the work. Fuson Drug Co.—adv.

See our line of ranges and cook stoves. They are beautiful, durable and built for service and to please the cook. Also heaters, pipe and supplies. Prices are right. Reynolds and Campbell.

Jesse Kilian died November 27th at the home of N. B. Pierson in Mansfield at the age of 19, death resulting from tuberculosis. Rev. J. W. Paterson conducted the funeral from the C. P. church at 2 p. m. Monday; interment in the Mansfield cemetery.

Springfield papers Tuesday report the death of Dr. R. H. Hanson, who was a resident of Springfield. Mr. Hanson was 80 years old and came to his death by automobile accident when he stepped from behind a street car at a moment an auto mobile coming from the other direction struck him. Dr. Hanson practiced in Hartsville for 35 years, and once pastor of the M. E. Church in Mansfield in 1912. Dr. Hanson was well known all over this part of the country, and had many warm friends. He has one son Perry L. now a resident of Hartsville.

The Mansfield Mirror this year, will follow its annual custom of issuing a big Christmas edition, printed in colors and profusely illustrated with seasonal cuts and borders; Christmas stories and illustrations, which are always pleasing, interesting and entertaining to children and women, and to the men with a fanciful heart for love, art, music, stories and the joys and association of children and their likes and likings. This edition will be a little different in some respects, and a little more complete than in former years, and we hope that our readers will appreciate it, and the extra amount of time and work we will put upon it. It is costing us quite a little sum for this special edition, and we hope our friends and businessmen will assist us every way possible, and will help us to make a good edition of it. If you want an "ad" in these issues of the Mirror, let us know at once, or be ready with your copy, and have your mind made up to the amount of space you want, when our representative calls on you.

On The Way

A picture such as has never been shown in Mansfield, "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" will be at the Nugget Theatre some time in December. This is a great picture and will be a rare treat to Mansfield and vicinity. Dr. Riley says the exact date will be advertised in a few days. This picture will be shown two nights.

Read our ads—they will save you money.

A series of meetings are being held at the Baptist church. Splendid crowds attending.

FOR SALE—1921 Model Ford, with starter. Bargain for quick cash sale. Inquire this office.

STRAIGHT SALARY: \$35.00 per week and expenses to man or woman with rig to introduce Eureka Egg Producer. Eureka Mfg. Co., East St. Louis, Ill.

The Ladies of the Christian Church will give their annual Bazaar, Saturday December 10th at the Christian Hall, beginning at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

There will be a pie supper at Flat Rock school house December 10th. Girls are asked to bring pies and the boys the price proceeds go for the benefit of the school.

We have just received a large shipment of enamel ware and queens ware which we can sell you at a very low figure. See us for bargaining, good values and high class goods. Reynolds and Campbell.

Announcements have been received here announcing the arrival of Thomas Jr. to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Willoughby on November 10th. The mother formerly Miss Margaret Matthews of this city, their home now being in Pittsburg Kans. We extend hearty congratulations.

Prepare in advance. Start now if you need money to improve your farm or, if you have a mortgage drawing a high rate of interest that you have to pay off or renew, prepare to get your money at 3 per cent, no Bonus or commission. See R. J. Freeman over J. C. Shipbaugh's store.

A Thanksgiving birthday dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dean, on last Thursday in honor of Mr. Dean's and Miss Jewel's birthday. A turkey dinner was enjoyed by: J. A. Dennis's family of Mtn. Grove, Calvin Coday's of Spokane Wash., C. L. Turner's family, J. W. Brazeal's family, C. H. Turner's family, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Hamilton and Mrs. H. P. Dennis.

A farewell party given in honor of Ned Gains at the home of Sylvia Brazeal, on last Monday night. The evening was spent socially. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Blanch and Eula Alcorn, Lula Ashworth, Jessie Hoover, Elfra Smith, Ruby Dennis, Mable Potts, Pauline and Lockie Craig and Sylvia Brazeal; Messrs. Dunning, Hensley, Roy Dennis, Ned Cain, John Roy, Cecil Letsinger, Vern Emmens, and Edgar Brazeal.

Newspaper reports and headlines say "snow and cold, in the north, east and west, and 42 degrees below zero in Canada." Gee! But we are glad we live in the Ozarks, where there is only an occasional bluster, and a few flurries of snow and all the rest of the year is like a paradise. In the south it is so hot it would melt the juice out of a brick-bat, and in the north it gets so cold it freezes the ears off a brass monkey. It is no wonder they always come back to the Ozarks.

The recital and entertainment given at the Nugget Theatre last night by Miss Duff Harlin was highly pleasing and entertaining. While Miss Harlin is young in years, she handled her subjects in a masterful way and displayed excellent talent as an impersonator and humorist. Mrs. J. E. Craig also gave a beautiful solo selection which was highly pleasing to her hearers. The evening's entertainment was added to very greatly by the sandwiching in of a few excellent musical selections by the Mansfield Orchestra. Evelyn Sue, the 3 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Reed, made her first appearance on the stage in song, "Jack and Jill went up the hill." She received the most hearty applause of them all.

Notice

I now have the official tax list for Pleasant Valley Township. Call and pay your taxes when convenient. Should be paid before Jan. 1st to avoid a penalty. W. B. Hitchcock. In rear Reynolds & Campbell Hardware.

Christian Endeavor

Christian Endeavor will be at the Christian church next Sunday and Myrtle Williams is the leader. The topic of the evening is "Our Plans," and each person is invited to help in our meeting. We are expecting an extra speaker who we are assured will give us some real good thoughts. Boost your town by boosting your Christian Endeavor. Christian Endeavor is a place for you no matter who you are. It is an undenominational society working for the uplift of young people everywhere. It is now represented in a hundred different denominations and we invite you to come Sunday night and hear what "Our Plans" are.

The Dixie Power Co. have been granted full permission to build the Cotter dam across White river by the U. S. government and the right of ways have all been secured. They expect to have the work completed and the current ready to put on the market by the latter part of 1923. This will be the biggest water power project in this part of the country. Actual work will begin immediately after the first of the year. The lake formed will cover several hundred acres of land and will be called lake Morak.

"Home Baking"

When one thinks of good home baking today, there is always a mental picture of grand mothers goodies. But there has been as much advance in the gentle art of home baking as there has in the sciences.

The Educational Department of the Dr. Price Baking Powder Factory is doing great work in the improvement of home baking. The most helpful results of this work have been embodied in a new cook book which is said to be the last word in baking perfection.

That this book may reach every home, every grocer has been authorized to present a copy of the New Dr. Price Cook Book to all purchasers of Dr. Price's Phosphate Baking Powder.

Sam A. Baker Worked His Way Up Through Life.

Sam A. Baker, State Superintendent of Schools and unanimously elected president of the Missouri State Teachers' Association, has a history that reads almost like that of President Lincoln.

Born in Patterson, Wayne County, he received his early education in a typical one room district school in Mill Spring, Mo. After finishing his grammar school education, Baker had aspirations for higher learning, but no funds. With that as his goal, he clerked in a country store, worked in a lumber camp labored as a section hand on a railroad and was for a short time a county postmaster.

After intermittent periods of studying and hard labor, he was graduated from the Southeast Missouri Teachers College at the age of 23 and began teaching in the Bethel district in Wayne County. Later he taught successively in Mill Spring, Piedmont, Joplin, Richmond, and Jefferson City.

In 1918 he was elected State Superintendent of Schools and was the first state executive to take the oath of office in the new capitol. This was his first public office and during the three years that he has been state superintendent

he has increased the staff of the State Department Education from 10 to 27 members, adding the vocational and industrial rehabilitation divisions. The former division seeks to aid persons who wish to learn practical trades along with their elementary education while the latter prepared persons who have been injured or are physically incapacitated for any reason to earn their living in some useful manner.

A modern discovery for the rapid healing of flesh wounds, cuts, burns, bruises, sores and scalds is Liquid Borozone. It is a clear, colorless liquid possessing marvelous healing power. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all Druggists.

Jesse Killian

Was born in Mansfield Mo., March 22nd 1902; Died at the home of N. B. Pierson in Mansfield Nov. 27th, 1921.

He was an acceptable member of the Methodist Church here having joined about four years ago.

Had just graduated from the Argola High School, and was preparing to teach when death called him.

He leaves to mourn his loss, a Grandmother, Mrs. Sullivan, Two Sisters, Mrs. Opal Phillips of Mountain Grove, and Miss Zola Killian of Argola, besides other more distant relatives, and a large circle of friends.

Funeral from the Cumberland Presbyterian Church and burial in the Mansfield cemetery.

To relieve rheumatism, sprains, lame back, lumbago or pleurisy, Ballard's Snow Liniment is a remedy of proven merit. It is very powerful and penetrating. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Date Set For Farmers Week

The 1921 Farmers' Week at the University of Missouri has been set for January 16th to 20th inclusive. This is the annual event at which lectures are given and demonstrations are made of the work being done in the College of Agriculture.

Interest Manifested In Investment Plan

Much interest has been aroused among prospective homeowners by the announcement of the Town and Farm Home Builders of America of their plan to loan money for home building and home improving to members at 3 per cent.

The proposition involves membership in this company through the purchase of a contract in denominations of \$100 to as many thousands as the member cares to purchase. The cost of this is a membership fee of 1 per cent of the face value of the contract and a monthly payment of \$10 per thousand until the contract matures, or until the names of the contract holder reaches his or her turn in numerical order, for loan. Each contract when entered on the books of the company is stamped with the month the day, the hour and the minute it is entered and in this way each person is assured of his proper "turn" for a loan. In many cases holders of these contracts are said to make a profit by the sale of their contracts to persons desiring to make a loan immediately. The company claims also that in the case of loans interest only on the amount in excess of the money paid in is charged for and only interest is collected for the unpaid balance of any loan.

R. J. Freeman of Mansfield is manager for Wright county.

Some Help In Advertising

MANY a merchant has wondered how he could improve his advertising. He believes in advertising. He uses it. But somehow, busy as he is, he often finds it hard to prepare his ads as he feels they should be prepared.

Down here in the Advertising Club of St. Louis, we have worked up a series of short advertising helps—like this. These are going to appear regularly in this newspaper. They will be written by St. Louis advertising specialists—to help others.

Merchants can profit by these helps. They cost nothing. They are brief and easy to understand.

Perhaps you will save the series for reference. Occasionally consult your editor. He can help you.

THE ADVERTISING CLUB OF ST. LOUIS

"I Want a Fountain Pen"

So say we all of us—everybody wants a fountain pen. It's the modern implement of the day. Here's where you buy them. We fit you out with good pens at low prices and in plain or novel effects. ALSO AUTOMATIC PENCILS—NEWEST CREATIONS IN THIS CLEVER IDEA. PRICES LOW.

Fuson Drug Co. W. M. Divan

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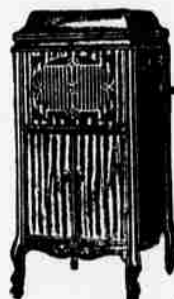
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Your Christmas Selection. SHOULD BE A

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J. B. CROUCH, Manager

We are Located Three Doors East of Bank of Mansfield Mansfield, Missouri.

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